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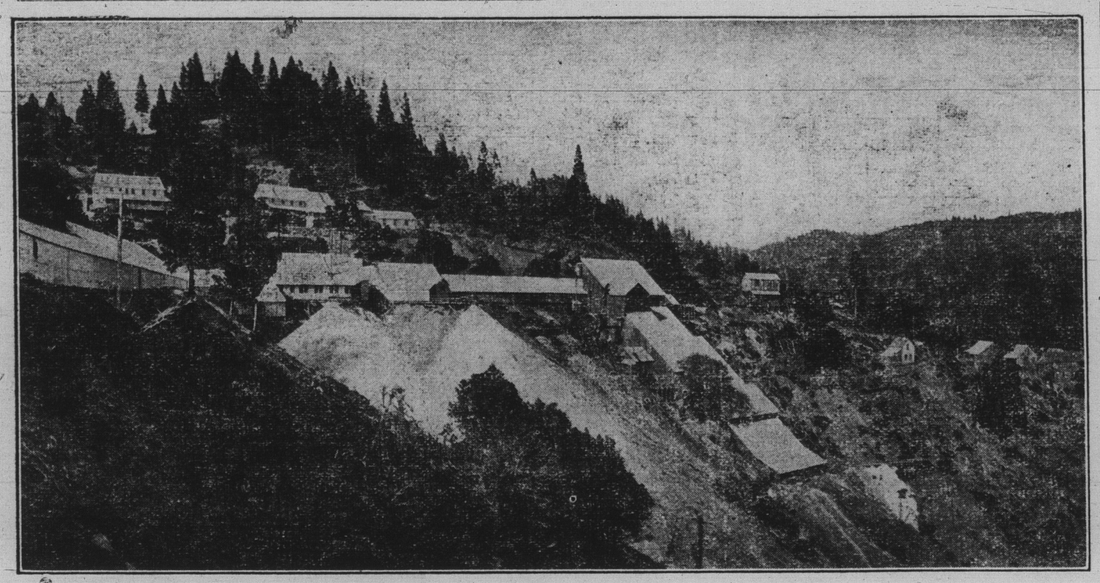

THE FAMOUS SIXTEEN-TO-ONE MINE AT ALLEGHANY

SOUTH FORK MINE WILL START WORK SOON

Mr. Ownbey, president of the So. Fork mining property near Forest, above Alleghany in Sierra county, was a caller at The Nugget office this week.

He went to the mine last fall and came out on snow shoes in Feburary over many feet of snow. After a trip of several weeks in the east he has returned and fels confident that he will have the money to start development work on the property.

Plans at this time are to put in a crew of men the first of May and as the work progresses more men will be added as fast as they can use them.

Work will start on the gravel in the old Bald Mountain Extension tunnel that cut three gold bearing channels many years ago, on the South Fork ground. There are between three and four miles of undeveloped channel on the property.

In early days the Bald Mountain mining company drove this tunnel through the South Fork ground to reach their own rich gold deposits giving the company a percentage of of the gold taken out. The new company will work on the same gravel channel that runs through the Ruby mine, which has a past production record of $1,300,000.

There are five known ledges which have been cut on the ground of the South Fork mine. The company plans to sink 500 feet on the 16-to-1 vein which runs through the property, after they have tapped it.

Gasoline driven machinery is being used at the present time, but as progress is made in developing the mine they will install all electric machinery.

The property lies between the 16-to-1 and the Brush Creek, adjoining the first mentioned on the north. The Diadem mine lies to the north west of the property.

Mr. Ownbey has spent $55,000 on the mine so far since taking it over. The crash of Wall Street put a stop to opening of the mine at an earlier date. All work so far has been of a development nature.

He is much encouraged over the reports of three geologists and five engineers, who have gone over the property, as all agree that it is the most ideal location to seek a good producer

The South Fork mine has a past production record of $800,000 from government statistics, and it it hoped by Mr. Ownbey that it will be one of the largest producers in Sierra county in the near future.

The snows of this winter hampered work at the mine; at times there were twenty feet of snow on the ground. The snow is about all melted now, but the roads are such that trips to and from the mine are made by Goodyear Bar.

The cabin occupied by Mr. Ownbey is situated at the mouth of the old Bald Top mine tunnel.

Opinion is that the Alleghany-Forest district will be one of the best gold mining camps in the United States when the mines start producing.

J. Y. Ownbey entertained the following visitors at the South Fork property in Forest this week, including Fletcher T. Hamshaw of Seattle, George C. Hodson of Glendale, California, Mrs. Suzanne Mills, of New York City, and M. Caremon, the secretary of the South Dakota Petroleum company of Chamberlain, South Dakota, and E. S. Goble, of San Bernardino. J. L. Kirby, who is in charge of the property, assisted in receiving the visitors, who all expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the property and the businesslike way in which Mr. Ownbey is developing the same with every prospect of an early and successful completion of the necessary preliminary work.

Patronze Nugget advertsiers.

FIRE AT SCARFE HOME

A fire between the roof and upper story at the home of Mrs. Clara Scarfe proved a stubborn one to handle, but the fire department controlled it in half an hour. It is believed the fire caught from a defective flue and a rat's nest near the chimney. Only one room, the den, was damaged to any considerable extent. After the fire was extinguished it was found that only a small hole had burned in the roof, and the lower rooms were not damaged by water. The Forest Service loaned a large canvas to protect the rooms from the rain storm.

Mrs. Scarfe made an effort to control the fire before calling help and suffered considerably from smoke and exhaustion, but no ill effects followed.

The damage is fully covered by insurance.

MINING NEWS OF INTEREST

Mr. Ownbey, who has mining interests at Forest, stated to a Nugget representative that on the way to Forest and Alleghany he saw more men working on the streams than he has seen in the last two years he has been traveling over this road. Indications are that a large amount of placer gold will be brought to the San Francisco mine this year.

SIXTEEN-TO-ONE MINE

At the Sixteen-To-One mine there are about 90 men employed.

Ore is found in deposits as well as in the veins and the mine has a past production record of many millions.

This mine is down about 3000 feet and is known as the richest glod mine of its kind in the United States.

Mr. Bennetts is superintendent at the mine.

RUBY MINE

The Ruby gravel mine between Downieville and Forest has had a crew of men working all winter. At present they are taking in machinery to install at the mine.

The Ruby mine has a past production of $1,300,000 taken from the rich gravel channel on the property.

BALD TOP MINE

At the Bald Top mine operations will be started soon. They sunk a winze in the mine and located rich ore. Plans are now to sink a shaft to take out the large body of rich ore that has been blocked out.

Mr. Perkins is superintendent at the mine.

BOB KIMMEL TURNS HARD ROCK MINER

R. L. Kimmel, who is largely responsible for the organization of the Mining Association of California, has at last yielded to the mining urge and resigned his position as secretary of the Modesto Chamber of Commerce.

In a letter to a friend he says:

"Yep, I'm a mine operator now and have burned the bridges. It is a mining claim east of Coulterville and four miles south of Bowers Cave known as the Montara. Has been worked spasmodically and is equipped with a good 20 ton mill. Ore is developed in a tunnel with two veins. One is heavy sulphide containing galena which runs $60 for one foot wide. The other vein is two feet wide mostly free and averages $15 with pockets running up to $200. There are 200 tons of $10 rock on the dump taken out in development work and several stopes where we can start breaking it down. Vein is 45 degrees and between slate walls so that I need not timber. There is sufficient water for the mill and three gas engines for power. I will concentrate and ship to smelter for recovery. I have a partner who will do most of the work and need only hire one more man. It is a small proposition and I expect to be producing within a week. Took it on a bond and lease."

Incidentally the Mining Association is anxious to get "Bob'" Kimmel back on the job as field secretary and betwen you and me it looks as if that might happen very soon. The Association would then have the impetus needed for its growth and development.

PAST PRODUCTION OF ALLEGANY DIST MINES

It seems appropriate at this time when Alleghany is showing such a boom to republish an article that was in The Nugget of August 28th, 1931—

On a map of 1924 loaned to us for references was the following list of mines and their past production records:

Mines around Alleghany with past production records are, to the north of Downieville, Black Bear, $500,000; Excelsior, $500,000; White Bear, $200,000; Monte Cristo, $3,000,000; Standard, $30,000; Gold Bluff ,$1,500,000; Oxford, $250,000; Montpelier, Bessler, both are being developed as the owners get money to work them and have given promise they will be rich producers.

South of Downieville are the Finney, $75,000; Oro Fino, $75,000; Australia, development work here shows promise of a good mine; Triple Pocket, $250,000; City of Six, $2,000,000; Pilot, $120,000; Ruby, $1,300,000; North Fork, $800,000; Brush Creek, $800,000; Kate Hardy, $800,000.

South of the town of Forest we have South Fork mine, $800,000.

At Alleghany to the west and south, Tightner, $2,000,000; Orient a l, $1,000,000; Sixteen-t o-One, many millions; Irelan, $400,000.

From Alleghany east and south we have, Docile, $200,000; Golden King, $75,000; Morning Glory, $75,000; El Dorado, $200,000; Mariposa, $100,000; Plumbago, $8,000,000; Rainbow, $1,500,000.

Is it any wonder that the mine owners of Sierra and Nevada counties speak of their properties with pride and confidence.

DONATION DAY HELD FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Donation Day parade held in Nevada City Friday afternoon was the best held in many years, the high school students being the big feature of the parade which followed the usual line of march from the corner of Pine and York streets through the business section and back to the city hall

The sophomores of the class of '34 were represented by an auto decorated in their colors of green and yellow.

The juniors, class of '33, had an old wood wagon and rode with their advisor, Miss Fischer. They carried a big canvas into which donations were thrown from the street.

Following these were the Boy Scouts in uniform, and then the grammar school pupils ranging from first to eighth grades.

Grand Marshall Curtis Clarke commanded the Elks, who were carrying flags of our nation.

The Benevolent Society recieved the supply of wood, provisions, clothing, etc. all of which was distributed to needy families.

Cash donations were: grammar school, $33.64; Freshmen, $15.51; Sophomores, $15.36; Juniors, $26.77 Seniors, $31.15; Total, $88.79. Extra from Juniors $10.06; Elks street collections $106. The "Charity Box" fines of the Elks lodge, $33.33, and Fred F. Cassidy $5.

The total sum collected was nearly $300. and it is felt certain that the full sum of $300. will be collected before closinb of the books for the year.

LAKE SPAULDING WILL BE OVERFLOWING SOON

H. M. Cooper, divisional manager of the P. G. & E Company, estimates that Lake Spaulding dam of the P. G & E. Co, in Placer county, will overflow about the first of May

This will be an early overflow, though not the earliest.

The week end snow fall was beneficial as snow fell higher up in the mountains. The N. I. D. of Nevada county will also benefit by as it will be helped in fulfilling its contract with the P G. & E. Co., and obtaining more revenue

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R. L. Egenhoff of the California Debris commission of Sacramento is a Nevada City visitor this week.

JIM STEWART BONDS GRAVEL MINE PROPERTY

James D. Stewart of Auburn has bonded his mining properties in the Gold Run-Dutch Flat district to Judge Fred P. Fogg of Boston, Nelson Douglas, Sr., of Los Angeles, and John C. Anderson of Phoenix, Arizona.

It is estimated that these gravel beds contain over 90,000,000 cubic yards of gravel. It is proposed to work this mass with power shovels and stack tailings to be handled later as commercial sand and gravel.

Pierre Bourery, celebrated French mining engineer, established the values after an exhaustive examination.

Features for which hydraulic or dredge mining are adversely criticised are lacking in the type of mining proposed here. The area has already been surfaced and is worthless for agriculture. The material will be stacked in a pit and saves the stream from being filled.

According to Mr. Stewart the operation of this property will mean the employment of 50 to 150 men.

RATES TO VISIT FLEET

The N. C. Narrowgauge is acting in conjunction with the Southern Pacific railroad to offer special rates May 7 to parents and students desiring to make the trip to San Francisco to see the fleet. Trains will leave Nevada City at 4:45 a. m. May 7, and the return limit is set at midnight Sunday. The rate for parents is $2.65 a round trip and for students $1.35.

MUSFIELD SERVICES IN SACRAMENTO APRIL 23

The body of I. W. Musfield, who died in Sacramento April 21 after a short illness at the age of 55, was laid to rest Saturday, April 23, in the Masonic Lawn cemetery in Sacramento. Pallbearers were W. C. Cunningham, Peter J. Butts, George Luhrs, Joe Young (employees of the deceased), Roy Mason and Kenneth Marvel.

Mr. Musfield was born in Iowa, but came to Lake county, California, at an early age. He and Mrs. Musfield had lived many years in this district, the last 17 of which were spent at their home in North San Juan, where for 14 yaers he has been employed as road foreman. He was formerly foreman at the Alaska and other mines here and in Grass Valley.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Emily Musfield; a son, Homer, of North San Juan; two daughters, Mrs. W. E. Bynon and Mrs. H. B Frye, both of Sacramento; three grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Minnie Rutledge, Mrs. H. Schmidt of Middletown, Lake county, and Mrs. Orville Cannon of Mountain View, and a brother, Charles Ritter of Winters.

WATCH YOUR LIGHTS

Sacramento, April 28—Motor vehicle owners were advised today by the California highway patrol to make sure, when purchasing headlight devices, headlight accessory devices and auxiliary lights, that such devices have been approved by the department of motor vehicles.

Approved devices of these types, it was stated are the only ones permittd on motor vehicles.

It was suggested that prospective purchasers satisfy themselves that a certificate of approval has been issued by the department before buying such devices.

WESTERN GOLD LTD. MAKES GOOD PROGRESS

Superintendent B. L. Eastman of the Western Gold, Ltd., or the former Mohawk mine, has a small crew of men employed at the property.

Retimbering has been finished in the collar of the shaft and the water pumped out of the mine to the bottom of the shaft or on the 200 foot level. Cross cutting is now being done on the 200 foot level to contact a vein known to exist.

The mine is equipped with a hoist and compressor all electrically operated. Recently a steel sharpener was added to the equipment at the mine.

Transformrs were installed some time ago and the power cut into the property.

This mine gives great promise of being one of the prodncers of the Nevada City district. It is situated in the heart of a gold producing section with mines all around it with past production records.

A number of years ago a ledge of good width was encountered at about the present level and ran in the neighborhood of $35 a ton. A cavein closed the mine as the owners had spent their money opening the mine to that level and had just begun to take out the good ore.

CAMPTONVILLE BENEFIT DANCE

Camptonville, Apr. 25.—The trustees of the local Masonic Hall have set the date of Saturday evening, May 28th, for the first big benefit dance of the season; two other dances will also be held, one on July 23 and August 27. Good music will be furnished, and the usual good supper, for which this place has a reputation, will be featured.

SUIT FILED TO RECOVER WAGES OF SIXTY-TWO MEN

T. A. Reardon, chief of the division of labor statistics and law enforcement of the public relations of the state of California, has started an action in the superior of this county against the Nevada County Mines company for the recovery of $9,702.42 in wages.

Sixty-two employees of the company did not receive their pay when the mine closed down and they were discharged. An additional penalty of $9,197.30 is also asked.

This company operated several mines in the Willow Valley district during last year ,closing down last November. The present suit is brought to enforce payment of the wages.

J. M. Hoff was superintendent of the company.

FINE CIVIC ADDRESS IS HEARD BY ROTARIANS

A splendid meeting of the Rotarians Club was held in the upstairs dining room of the National hotel at Nevada City in what was the first of a series of monthly meetings for this city. There was nearly a full attendance of members from Grass Valley in attendance.

Program chairman Thomas Richards of Nevada City had as his speaker Judge Rolfe Thompson of the Third District Court of Appeal of Sacramento. Others making brief talks were Judge George L. Jones, Judge Raglan Tuttle and James C. Tyrrell, the latter of Grass Valley.

Judge Thompson's speech was greatly enjoyed and many constructive ideas were brought out.

Mr. Tyrrell made a gracious response on behalf of members form Grass Valley to the welcome of Judge Tuttle.

Judge Tuttle urged that the Grass Valley and Nevada City clubs bend every effort in trying to get the Tahoe-Ukiah highway completed as it has been under construction for 14 years. Aubrey Wisker, president of the Grass Valley club called on Judge Jones for remarks on the Washington bi-centennial and he briefly traced the life of George Washington.

STORMS AT CAMPTONVILLE

Camptonville, April 25—One of the hardest and longest rain storms of the season has been in progress during the last few days, it raining incessantly during the past 36 hours with some snow at higher elevations. It snowed four inches of new snow at the Mt. Alta mine, but lated rained it off. Weather Observer Elmer Hall, at the P. G. & E. mill, reports four inches of rain measured during the past 36 hours, this making a total of 59.78 inches for the season so far.

It is interesting to note that 48 years ago on April 22nd it snowed two feet here. The several cold nights during the past week combined with the severe storm has killed the bulk of the fruit crop for the coming year.

NEVADA CITY OBSERVED PUBLIC SCHOOLS NIGHT

About twelve years ago the Grand Lodge of Masons of California established what has been designated at "Public Schools Week." The various lodges of the Masons are urged to have the last week of April observed by a public meeting at which some speaker of note will lecture on educational matters.

The public schools are urged to have exhibits of school work and invite relatives and all interested in the schools to visit and observe the progress being made in the schools by the pupils.

W. M. Gracey, master of Nevada City lodge, appointed a committee to arrange a meeting and on Wednesday a public meeting was held, at which Assistant Superintendent of Schools Jensen of Sacramento was the princpal speaker.

LOCAL BAND INVITED TO TAKE PART AT OROVILLE FETE

An invitation has received by the Nevada City band to attend the Oroville days of Forty-nine celebration, on Monday, May 15th. John Blamey, leader of the local band, has 20 men rehearsing many late pieces which will be used on this occasion. They have chartered the Nevada City-Grass Valley bus and will play at several of the large towns enroute to Oroville.

APRIL SHOWERS ARE PROVING BENIFICIAL

The rain storm in this section was looked on by many as a bit of March weather. It was one of the coldest storms of the season. About 1.10 inches of rain fell for the storm in our section, while several inches of snow fell in the higher mountains. This brings the total of the month to about two inches and the seasonal rainfall to over 48 inches.

The rain was beneficial to pasturage but did some damage to strawberry crops in the foothill districts.

George A. Legg of Berkeley was a recent business visitor in Nevada City.

THE MARSH COMPANY SELLS LUMBER PLANT

The M. L. & D. Marsh Company, of Nevada City, has sold its retail lumber business on Boulder Street, including the land, sheds, office and the lot upon which the office is located, together with stocks of lumber, building materials and equipment, to a corporation now being formed.

Fred E. Conner, of Sacramento, who was co-owner and manager of the Sacramento lumber company at Sacramento until May 16th, 1924, when he sold his interests in the business, will be the manager in charge. Mr. Conner comes to our city thoroughly convinced that Nevada City and County hold business opportunities for any firm whose policy it is to work with other interests in this community.

The new manager has devoted his business career to the retail lumber industry, and is well known in the West as a man ready and willing to cooperate with other interests and the people in the community in which he lives.

Luther Marsh, and Charles "Buck" Williams, will remain with the new organization.

This lumber company was established in the 60's and originally under the firm name of Gregory & Marsh. Later Dan Marsh took over the Gregory interests forming a partnership of M. L. & D Marsh The company was incorporated in 1904.

The original mill under Gregory & Marsh was on Nimrod street within the city limits and where there was talk of having the city swimming pool. The mill was moved several times, the first being to Crystal Springs, later the operated in Willow Valley; and again at the head of Rock Creek, which empties into Lake Vera; next in New York canyon; and the last, where they quit logging operations in 1922, was in Meeker canyon Nearly all the mills were on the Washington ridge where the company still owns 2759 acres of ground.

A great many houses in Nevada City and the surrounding district have been built from lumber from this yard, besides supplying lumber for many mines for timber, mills, and flume lumber for many miles of mine flumes and irrigation ditches.

Through all the years the company has been known for its fair dealing and business integrity.

The Nugget wishes to extend best wishes to the new company in their entering our district.

OUSTOMAH LODGE ENJOYS ANNIVERSARY

Tuesday evening Oustomah lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., under direction of Noble Grand Nels Tobiassen arranged a fitting program commemorating the 113th anniversary of American Odd Fellowship. Odd fellows, their wives, Rebekahs and their husbands were entitled to attend. Each Odd Fellow and Rebekah was also permitted to invite one guest.

The following program was rendered:

Piano solo, Mrs. Antha Locklin; vocal solo, Miss Helen Arbogast; reading, Mrs. Lottie Eden; solo by quartette; trombone and trumpet duet, Carl Murchie and Tommie Rickard; remarks, Judge Geo. L. Jones; vocal solo, Mrs. Katherine Celio; story, William J. Tickell; piano solo, Carl Murchie.

There were also vocal solos by Joe King and John Hollow of Grass Valley, a number of selections by a quartette of Grass Valley young men, and selections by a group of bandsmen from the Nevada City Band under the leadership of John Blamey.

Card playing and refreshments were enjoyed after the progrma.

MANY ATTEND NEVADA COUNTY LEGION BALL

It is estimated 1,000 dancers and half as many spectators attended the preliminary opening of the Veterans Memorial building in Grass Valley Saturday night.

Brilliantly lighted, the whole building with its immense auditourium ball room, made an imposing spectacle.

The heavy rain did not detain the hundreds who wihsed to spend the evening there dancing.

Hague-Thomas-Hegarty American Legion Post which sponsored the confined the special features to a short band concert and a specacularly presented "taps" scene, dancing occupying the evening exclusively otherwise.

The formal dedication of the Legion hall will take place in June.

Chas. Sooy Receives Honor—

Charles H. Sooy, attorney of San Francisco, native of North San Juan, and son of pioneer parents, was recently appointed a director of the State Agricultural Society, which has charge of the California state fair. Mr. Sooy will be in charge of the exhibits in the state building. As a public school teacher he studied law, became a lawyer, and is now a prominent attorney of San Francisco.

L. E Stein, mining man, of San Francisco was a Nevada City visitor Wednesday

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Pure Water For Nevada City—
The return on water sent from Nevada City by Mayor Bennetts recently, was absolutely pure from minerals and alkalis, and it is crystal pure. The city coucil had the city reservoirs thoroughly cleaned recently. Very little water is being bought at this time from the Nevada Irrigation District.

May 9th Set For Trial—
Judge Raglan Tuttle has set May 9th for the hearing in the juvenile department of the superior court of the charge of murder against Henry Weeks, 16 year old boy, who confessed to the killing of his father, John Weeks, near Dew Drop Inn on the 18th of last month. He will examine all particulars of the case and if it warrants will send it back to the superior court.

Orders To Attend Church—
Next Sunday the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will attend the Episcopalian church in a body as part of their anniversary celebration. Mrs. Lyda Talbot, choir director, is preparing special music and will be assisted by a double male quartette from the Grass Valley church as well as local talent.

Delegates to Womens' Club Return
Mrs. H. J. Kjorlie and Mrs. R. E Harris attended a gathering of club women of Northern California, that was held recently in Red Bluff. A report was made of their trip and it proved quite interesting. The Tri-County convention is to be held in Nevada City Saturday, May 14th. There will be visitors from many sections. Meeting will be held in the Methodist church and a luncheon is to be served in the church parlors.

Entertain Relatives—
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rector had as recent visitors Mr. and Mrs. G. V Hayes of Seattle, Wash., who have been in China for several years; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Mulch of Huntington Park and Miss Alma Eastin of San Francisco. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Rector and former Nevada City resdients.

Olympic Hostess—
Mrs. Grace C. Stoermer of Los Angeles as a member of the California State Hostess commission for Olympic games, has named Mrs. Lottie Eeden of Laurel Parlor, No. 6, N. D. G. W., and a district deputy for three terms for Manzanita Parlor of Grass Valley, to act as Olympic hostess from this district. She asked Mrs. Edene to name a prominent Nevada City woman to act on the commission, and Mrs. EdEen has named Mrs. C. E. Parsons. Many prominent women from all over the state will cooperate in entertaining the many distinguished visitors who will visit Los Angeles for the games.

Miner Recovered—
F. A. Butters, miner employed at the Murchie mine, who was overcome with giant powder fumes a few days ago, has completely recovered and will be back at work in a few days.

LOCAL CIVIC CLUB HELD SESSION MONDAY NIGHT

Last Monday evening the Women's Civic Improvement Club held a meeting in the Brand Studio. After the business session a "High Jinks" by some of the members proved a huge success. The affair was in the nature of an entertainment for the members of the cast of Kempy which was recently given by members as a benefit for certain club activities.

Dainty refreshments were served A good crowd of members were in attendance.

HENRY QUIGGLEY BURIED IN HOME CEMETERY

Funeral services were held Sunday under the auspices of the Masonic lodge for the late Henry E. Quiggley, prominent citizen of Sierra county, who has been for thirty-three years county clerk, auditor and recorder.

Burial took place in the Downieville cemetery.

Four sons of the deceased and two sons-in-law were pall bearers while old friends of the family acted as honorary pall bearers.

MARY AUSTIN DIES IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. Mary Jane Austin, sister of Mrs. John Richards, and a native of Washington, Nevada county, passed away in San Francisco Monday death being due to injuries received from a fall two years ago. Her husband passed away many years ago. Mrs. Austin was employed at the New York hotel when John Richards conducted it. Surviving are her sister, Mrs. Marcella Richards and a nephew, William Richards. Burial took place in the Catholic cemetery at Nevada City. Holmes Funeral Home had charge of arrangements. High mass was celebrated in San Francisco fro the repose of her soul and graveside services were conducted in Nevada City.

Governor Rolph says:

Vote YES

Prop. 1 — May 3

"When I signed the Oil Control Act I believed and still believe that I was approving a statute that would bring order and stability to our greatest and most important industry. And now I hope that all will go to the polls on May 3, and if you agree with me, as I believe, after reflection, you will, I respectfully suggest that you vote "Yes" on Proposition Number 1, the Oil Control Act, and help protect our great family treasure chest of oil against unlimited license to waste and squander it. There is nothing, in my opinion, in the argument that has been advanced of a monopoly and high priced gasoline."

James Rolph, Jr.

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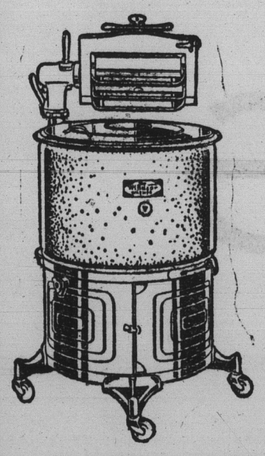

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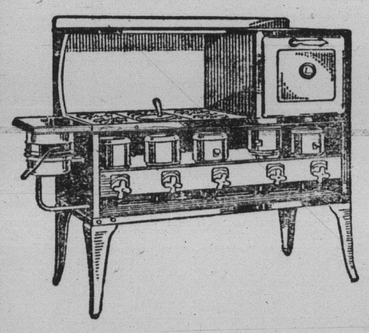

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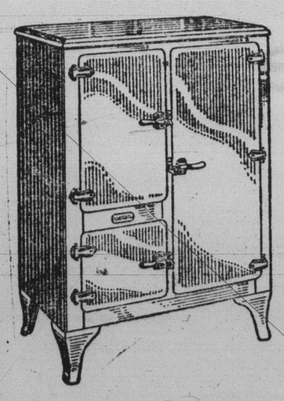

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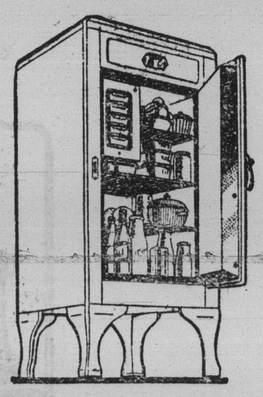

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Rising Tide of Votes Against Oil Monopoly

"The rising tide of opposition to the Sharkey Oil Control bill is one of the most remarkable political upheavals in the political history of California," said Walter Measday, chairman of the executive committee of the Independent Association Opposed to Monopoly, in a report of his survey of state-wide opinion regarding this measure.

"Despite every effort to becloud the issue this fight is one in which the people of California, the consumers of gasoline, must have a place," the report continues. "We have no interest as between the major oil corporations and the independents except insofar as free and open competition may be maintained. The people's interest is against monopoly, whether that monopoly is established by all interested in the oil industry, or by any particular group.

"The people are not in the oil business, but by their votes on May 3, they must either protect themselves from threatened monopoly, or elect to enjoy the further benefits of free competition which makes it possible for the gasoline buyers of California to enjoy a true competitive price for gasoline. The present price is a fair example of the benefits of open competition. The price of 27 cents a gallon, no tax, when the major oil corporations gained control of the gasoline market some years ago is what may be expected if the legal powers of the state are placed in the hands of the industry to regulate production, and thereby fix prices.

"Few persons in California are interested in any quarrel between majors and independents in the oil industry. That is their problem. But when the voters of the state are asked to pass upon a law whose one purpose is to give one of the parties to this oil controversy control of production, with no thought to the public's place in the picture, that appears to be asking too much.

"A fair and reasonable price for gasoline is not opposed by our association. To put, however, the legal power within the industry, whether the power is lodged with majors or independents, to control production without at the same time controlling price, is too dangerous an adventure in legislation.

"Figures, authentic in the industry, prove that there is no overproduction of oil in California. The present price of gasoline is therefore a true competitive price. Why vote into effect any act to change favorable conditions to the consumers of gasoline?

"Our association asks all voters to vote on May 3 and vote NO on OIL CONTROL, Proposition No. 1 on the ballot."

Uncle Henry Hawkins Sez:

I don't want to get off on the wrong foot. I only got two, an' what ain't right is left.

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Being in California is about the best place a man can be these hard times. I could have told you that a long time ago. This here State of California has a way of taking care of herself—of course, California is bound to be a she because she is so beautiful—but boys and girls, old and young, we've got something on the rest of the country, outside of climate, and that we have in large measure.

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As fur as my recollection goes, an' don't ask me to tell you how fur back that goes, we Californians have been perfectly able to take care of our own business. Lots of people more or less honest, have told us how to run the state. Not only that, but at one time a New York owned corporation came in and ran the state for us. This predatory bunch were kicked out of office by a fearless Governor, an' I don't mind telling you his name was Hiram Johnson.

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Hiram, God bless his fighting spirit, is now our Senator in Washington, and trying his best to protect one of our great industries, the production, refining and marketing of oil an' gasoline, by asking for a tariff on this foreign produced oil.

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Do you know that the same corporations which are backing the Sharkey Oil Control measure, Proposition No. 1 on the ballot, are the same national and international corporations which are importing peon-produced oil into the United States, on the Atlantic seaboard, and robbing California of its oil market?

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Of course you don't, and just the same as Hiram kicked the political machine built up by a railroad company clean out of the state, so the voters, guided by the course of Hiram, are going to kick this SHARKey Bill, sponsored by the same predatory interests that once had California by the tail, out of our State of California by their votes on OIL CONTROL—and that's what it is, brothers and sisters, control for the benefit of the big fellows. Gosh, I don't need to tell you to vote NO on Proposition No. 1 on the ballot on May 3. You've got enough common sense for that. Just tell your friends and neighbors to do the same thing, and then we'll be happy because we've got the independent competition which would be wiped out of existence if this proposition should become a law. We know that competition is the life of trade, and, thank you, we are getting our gasoline quite reasonable.

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Just a serious note. We don't want any more poor fellows thrown out of jobs. The OIL CONTROL bill, as you find it on the ballot, means the finish of independent oil production in the State of California. This is no guess. I have looked into it, and it is true. Don't vote to throw any more poor fellows, lots of them with wives and babies, out of a job. You may be far removed from oil production. But think of these workers—darn good workers they are, too—and don't vote to fatten the dividends of stockholders at their expense.

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I said we didn't want any outside interference in our own affairs. Why does this Alfalfa Bill Murray, of Oklahoma, send out a broadcast over the air on the time of the Standard Oil Company of New York? Why did Governor Sterling, of Texas, the former president of the Standard Oil subsidiary in Texas, do the same thing? Don't you think that's coming it a little bit strong for we Californians?

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Oh, well, as the Governor of Texas said to the Governor of Oklahoma, if we can make those saps in California vote for OIL CONTROL, Proprosition No. 1 on their ballot, how pretty we'll be settin' to produce more oil in our states.

Honest, ain't the voters of California rated pretty low to take that bunk?

YUBA RIVER COUNTRY

By J. L. WOLFF.

(Continued From Last Week)

After some switch backs we pass a small hydraulic diggings before reaching "Cold Spring." As we stop to drink we hear a slow succession of hammer like blows on the small pipe line. These are caused by a small hydraulic ram, a water operated pump, just below which boosts a stream of water up to the home and store of the Bullington"s. The principal of the pump consists of utilizing the pressure in a large pipe of water coming from the spring to boost a smaller line full of water up the other side of the ravine. Beyond at the Log Cabin, another road turns off to Bullard's Bar Dam—six miles away. It is a side trip well worth while to see the immense dam, the top of which serves as a bridge for crossing the North Fork of the Yuba. Up stream from here the famous gold camps of 1850 and 51 such as Foster's Bar, Mississippi Bar, used to hum with activity. Here miners pried the virgin gold out of crevices in the bedrock with butcher knives, forks, and any other instrument that would serve the purpose. At Foster's Bar the saloon keeper was also the postmaster and even the "Sons of Temperance" had to patronize him—when postage back east used to cost 40 cents prepaid and the stamps consisted of "Foster's Bar, Cal.— Paid 40" being written on the outside of the folded letter by the postmaster, when miners who were particular about their mail sent it by express to San Francisco—or had an expressman call for their mail at that point and then bring it to them at the mines. Too frequently letters were lost by the totally inadequate postal service.

These particular camps are now under water due to the dam. We continue along the Yuba Pass highway and just before coming to Camptonville find the road skirting along the edge of Oregon Creek canyon. Looking down we soon see, far below, the Oregon falls. We come to a stop and shutting off the engine, the roar of the water comes floating up out of the canyon. Looking up and ahead we see before us the roofs of Camptonville which will be the subject of our next bulletin.

Serene in the sunshine of eastern Yuba county lies the old town of Camptonville, high up on the divide between the Middle and the North Forks of the Yuba river on the old trail that in pioneer days led from Marysville through Camptonville, Nigger Tent, Mountain House to Downieville, the canyon on one side ,and the Henness Pass over the high Sierra's on the other.

Entering Camptonvill the highway passes along the bed rock of an old hydraulic gold mine. Alongside the highway is the garage and shake factory of Wm. Lang probably the only such in the country that can be found in the bottom of an old hydraulic mining pit. If asked where the original town used to stand, Bill simply points his finger up over head and says, "That's where she was."

From here a short detour winds up to the town, past the shaft surmounted by a small Pelton wheel that marks the spot where Lester Allen Pelton invented the Pelton Water Wheel in 1878. At that time the mining industry was using much equipment that was driven by water wheels, all of which were very inefficient. The story is told by some

that Pelton noticed the force exerted by a stream hitting the cloven hoof of a cow and others say that it was a stream of water that hit the cows nostrils which gave him the idea. In any event the cow seems to have been a considerable factor in bringing about the invention of the Pelton wheel which today drives electric motors and other machinery where ever water power is developed on the face of the globe. The first wheel was made to run a sewing machine and this is now owned by Mrs. Groves at Camptonville.

The Meek Mercantile store is run by William Bull Meek with his grandson, Acton M. Cleveland, in charge. Mr. Meek was born three quarters of a century ago half way between Downieville and Gold Lake in Sierra county. He has been a teamster, stage driver, and merchant in the Yuba river canyon country throughout all his life and few men today know the lore of the pioneer days as he does. When the time permits he can regale his audience with anecdote after anecdote, hour after hour, all of them intensely interesting.

Before we enter Camptonville we look down at the Oregon Falls in Oregon creek. In the early days a group of men ran a tunnel back into the mountain from the bottom of that canyon and they lived in a cabin close to their work. A very important dance was being given at Camptonville that night and for weeks all of them had planned to attend. But when the evening arrived the men were absent and the reason was not learned until several days later when on of them came to town for supplies. Their clothes had been laid out ready to put on at the end of the day's work, but when they came out of the tunnel, a pole cat was found in possession of the premises. When the smoke of battle had cleared away, their "Sunday best" were just as useless as was the skunk.

Just above the store is the post office at which the auto stages now stop as did the horse drawn stages that preceded them. And the ancient Masonic lodge building is still serving as it did nearly three quarters of a century before. Nearby is the school house—where the children go to school throughout the summer and have their vacation when the snow is on the mountains. Their homes are scattered far back into the forests—and they are real mountaineers.

Across the street is the Francis hotel run by Mrs. Labadie, who has found by experience that the mountain elevation begets tremendous appetites. And she knows how to completely satisfy them. The dining room of the hotel was decorated years ago by an itinerant painter who after painting mountain views, lakes, water falls, and swans all over the walls, for his board and room, liked his "home" so well that he prolonged his stay by painting views all over the ceiling as well.

But "even as you and I" he finally had to go on to Downieville which will be the subject of next week's bulletin.

DOWNIEEVILLE! The romantic capital of the most fascinating region in California! Its realm is the entire canyon of the North Fork of the Yuba river together with the mountainous ridge on either side.

Shortly after leaving Camptonville, half way between Grass Valley—Nevada City and Downieville on the Downieville state highway, we cross the county line into Sierra county of which Downieville is the county seat. Already advantage is being taken of the picturesqueness of this mountainous country by the establishment of rustic cabins and camps, such as Bear Park which is passed by the highway. At the Yuba-Sierra county line is the home of Fred Joubert. Just beyond his home the highway passes along the brink of the Joubert hydraulic mine, which due to the heavy snow and water fall of the past winter will have a sufficient supply of water to operate well into the summer. We do not have to get out of our car to watch the operation of the giant monitor throwing its stream of water against the base of the gold bearing cliff. It is one of the very rare experiences that give a hint of the millions in gold that were recovered during the 60's and 70's by this method; when hydraulic mines produced the money which to a large degree contributed in making San Francisco the financial capital of the west.

From here the road gives us a glimpse of the inspiring canyon of the North Fork of the Yuba as we repidly swing down the grade. The picturesqueness of Mosquito creek, which is crossed on the way down, and the impressiveness of the long lacy Depot Hill falls on the south side of the canyon, thrill the beholder. Swniging around a sharp point we find ourselves just above the Yuba river itself. The highway crosses to the north side and by going slowly we can see a beautiful water fall up through the trees on the left. To really see it, the car must be stopped.

The next stream to be crossed is Fiddle creek. Who named it so and why was probably already forgotten by 1850. Here visitors are welcome to go through the state fish hatchery, from which surrounding streams and lakes are restocked each year with the trout that brings thousands of sportsmen in pursuit. The state highway department has made a veritable boulevard out of a portion of the highway along the north fork and the scenic beauty of this canyon is indescribable. As we sweep along looking up tributary canyons and watching the blue green water of the deep pools foaming white over the rocks, we try to picture the years 50 and 51 when the miners were so thick in this stream, with their 30 foot individual claims, that word could be passed from mouth to mouth between Downieville and Marysville—100 miles away— in less than fifteen minutes.

In a short time we round a high bluff and look down upon the village of Goodyears Bar and we wonder how long it will be before some enterprising company takes this marvelous spot and turns it into a resort that will have everything necessary to fame and fortune. Lying in the bottom of the canyon it is a small triangular valley formed by Goodyears creek and the North Fork and its scenic setting is superb. Saddle Back mountain, Monte Cristo, Fur Cap and other peaks look down upon it. Forest trails and old stage roads lead up to mountain sides in various directions and through it flows the beautiful crystal clear North Fork of the Yuba.

We are within four miles of Downieville. Half way there the road follows the river through a rocky gorge where the canyon walls come close together. It is here that the early stage road, still in use, crosses the river on the old toll bridge—which is now free and maintained by the county. Wownieville still gives not the slightest indication of its existence until we suddenly round Cannon Point and have it flash into view at our very feet. It is as though you were sitting in a theatre looking at dark green velvet curtains. Suddenly the curtains are swept aside and the stage leaps into view before your eyes. And a stage it is, one that will hold any audience spell bound. Downieville, Act 1, will appear in our next bulletin.

(Continued Next Week)

The final day for paying of taxes brought out a large number of people and a record was made in the large sum of money paid in. Total amount recieved on Wednesday by County Treasurer and Tax Collector Frank Steel was $29,669.86.

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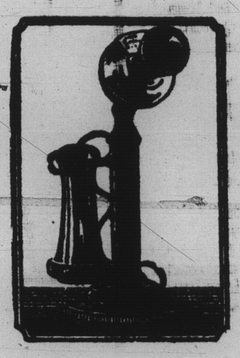

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CAMPTONVILLE NEWS NOTES

Camptonville, April 26— Fred J. Joubert was a Nevada City visitor Saturday.

Lawrence Calanan of Tyler was in town Saturday.

W. Beihler of the Mt. Alta mine visited Grass Valley Saturday.

Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland visited relatives in San Juan Wednesday.

Warren Scott of Downieville was in town Friday evening.

Albert Hamilton and H. Deal motored to Nevada City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heether visited Nevada City last week end.

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ORDINANCE No. 214

An Ordinance Amending Section 9 of Ordinance No. 194, Regulating the Slaughtering of Animals and the Sale and Delivery of Meats, and Providing for the Inspection of Meats and Meat Products to Be Used, Delivered or Sold in the City of Nevada City, by Amending and Modifying the Fees to Be Collected and Paid for the Services of the Meat Inspection as Therein Provided For.

The City Council of the City of Nevada does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 9 of Ordinance No. 194, adopted March 26th, 1923, regulating the slaughtering of animals, and the sale and delivery of meats, and providing for the inspection of meats and meat products to be used, delivered or sold in the City of Nevada, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

SECTION 9. A fee of fifty cents for each animal inspected under the provisions of this ordinance, for any person, firm or corporation not conducting a slaughter house or meat market under inspection by the City of Nevada as provided by this ordinance, shall be prepaid to the Meat Inspector and by him collected in advance of such inspection.

A fee of twenty-five dollars per month shall be paid by every slaughterer operating under a permit issued under the provisions of this ordinance and by every person, firm or corporation conducting a slaughter house or meat market under inspection by the City of Nevada as provided by this ordinance; provided that no officer, employee, or servant of any such person, firm or corporation paying such fee of twenty-five dollars per month, shall be required to pay any fee, in addition to such fee of twenty-five dollars per month so paid by his employer, for any inspection service hereunder rendered in connection with the business of his said employer; and provided, further, that the payment of such fee of twenty-five dollars per month by any such person, firm or corporation conducting a slaughter house or meat market under inspection by the City of Nevada as provided by this ordinance, shall constitute full payment for all inspection services hereunder rendered in connection with the business of such person, firm or corporation for and during the month covered by such payment.

The Inspector shall keep a record of all animals slaughtered or inspected each day, and shall file with the City Clerk on or before the fifth day of each month a report showing the total number of each kind of animals or meats slaughtered or inspected for each person during the preceding month. The fees aforesaid shall be paid to the City Clerk on or before the first Thursday after the first day of each month next following the month during which the same were incurred.

If the inspection fees herein provided are not paid as herein directed, inspection shall not be furnished to the person in default until the whole amount due has been paid.

SECTION 2. That the original Section 9 of said Ordinance No. 194, adopted March 26th, 1923, except as the same is hereby expressly amended and continued in force and effect, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall, before going into effect, be published in the Nevada City Nugget with the ayes and noes three times, and shall go into effect on the 1st day of May, 1932.

Adopted: April 13, 1932.

Ayes: Councilmen Seaman, Murchie, Bennetts.

Noes: Councilmen: None.

Absent: Councilmen Worth, Armstrong.

R. J. BENNETTS, Mayor.

Attest:
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LOCAL RELIEF SOCIETY INSTALLS OFFICERS

At a regular meeting of the Catholic Ladies Relief society, No. 5, on April 12th, Grand President Mrs. Roycroft of Chico, and Mrs. Boggs, grand district deputy of Colusa, installed the following officers for the ensuing term:

Past president, Mrs. Krasevac; president, Mrs. Shealey; senior vice presidnt, Mrs. Fowler; junior vice president, Mrs. La Rue; recording secretary, Mrs. Nell Hammill; financial secretary, Mrs. Nolan, treasurer, Miss Kate Mulroy; guard, Mrs. Noland; marshal, Miss Mary Silva; assistant marshal, Mrs Albert Morateur; board of directors, Mrs. Ellen Sproul, Miss Alice Nolan, and Miss Margaret Keleher.

After the ceremony was over brief talks were made by Grand President Mrs. Roycroft, Mrs. Boggs, Mrs. Coolot of Sacramento; Rev. Father Keene of Auburn; Rev. Father O'Reilly of Nevada City; Rev. Father O'Shea and Rev. Father O'Mera, both of Grass Valley.

Retiring president Mrs. Krasevac and assistants were given great praise for their untiring efforts in assisting with the Grass Valley orphanage and needy of the district.

Tihs meeting was held on the 10th anniversary of No. 5 and Mrs. Mulroy and committee invited all present to partake of a delicious banquet. The color scheme for the beautifully decorated tables was white and yellow flowers.

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NEVADA CITY STUDENTS RECEIVE TYPING CERTIFICATES

By HENRIETTA GLENNON

The Gregg Publishing Company has awarded certificates to students who have proved themselves able to write their shorthand notes correctly and to show artistic merit.

Those students who have won such certificates in Nevada City high school are: Eleanro Turner, Margery Odgers, Perrine Helme, Eleanor Schrieber, Nadine Neagle, Gertrude Young, Teresa Alaria, Robert Polglase, Angiolini Alaria, Jessie Robins, Alice Peard, Phylis Horn, Marie Odgers, Audrey Davidson, Ruth Moyle, Pauline Rohrig.

The bronze O. G. A. club prize was awarded Eleanor Turner as being the best in the group.

The gold O. G. A. prize was awarded Miss Alice Carter, commercial tax instructor.

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TO FORM CHORAL SOCIETY

A choral branch of the Women's Civic Improvement club will be formed next Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. E. Harris on Nevada street. All members of the club interested in such an organization are requested to meet at Mrs. Haris' at the hour stated.

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BIBLE CLASS TO MEET

The adult Bible class of the Methodist church will hold its regular business and social meeting Friday evening at 7:30 p. m., in the church parlors. All members are urged to attend.

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Frank Jordan, Jr., son of Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan, was a Nevada City visitor yestreday. He was here in the interests of the Sharkey oil bill.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Oluf Olson of Mariposa was a visitor in the district the past few days sizing up the mine situation.

Mrs. Emily Musfield and son Homer transacted business in Nevada City Monday.

Rev. Father O'Reilly and a corps of helpers have been devoting Saturday afternoons to cleaning up the Catholic cemeteries here.

E. S. White, traveling passenger agent for the S. P., was a Nevada City visitor the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Austin arrived in Nevada City yesterday afternoon enroute to Alleghany where they will spend a few few days at the Orietal mine. Mr. Austin is the son of Mrs. Ella Austin, county superintendent of schools of Nevada county.

Miss Millie Clerkin and brother, Will Clerkin, of North San Juan, were Nevada City visitors yesterday

Thomas Bessler of Downieville stopped over in Nevada City yesterday afternoon calling on friends. He was on his way to Sacramento on a short business trip.

About 18 friends gave George Flambigl a surprise party on his 62 birthday last Sunday evening. The evening was spent in card playing, fortune telling, and a social time. Refreshments provided by the guests were spread and a delightful dinner was enjoyed before departure of the visitors.

E. De Prati, civil war veteran of French Corral, spent a few days in Nevada City.

Judge and Mrs. F. T. Nilon had as week end visitors Mrs. A P. Moore of San Francisco, and Mr and Mrs. J. H. Fuller of Marysville.

The body of the late Seward Lemont was prepared for burial by Holmes Fureal Home and shipped to Kentucky, early this week. Rev. H. H. Buckner conducted the services at the funral home Sunday. Mr. Lemont had made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Mason of Nevada City for about five years.

The engineer, Bert Austin, of San Francisco, who racently made a sale of a part of the Paine Brothers mine, is a son of County Superintendent of Schools Mrs. Ella M. Austin of this county.

Miss Clara Angilini came up from San Francisco Wednesday evening and will remain here for a time until her mother improves in health.

Mrs Clarence Shurtleff has returned from a visit of a few days in Sacramento.

Judge Tuttle is home from a trip to Sacramento where he attended to court business.

D. E. Bleakley left Sunday for Canada where he will enter the government service. He has been here for the winter visiting his family.

George Zetzche, who was a former assayer at the Murchie mine, has opened an assay office in Oroville. He has been kept busy on account of the gold mininig boom in that section.

Frank and Thomas Bigelow, mining men of North Columbia, were Nevada City business visitors Friday.

Miss Almaleigh Garthe of Pittsburg spent last week end visiting her mother, Mrs. Lee A. Garthe.

Miss Esther Tremaine, a teacher in the Fort Bragg schools, was a Nevada City visitor recently.

J. F. Colley returned Saturday evening from attending the funeral of his late brother, Fred Colley, of Napa.

Charles Hegarty, who has mining property at Snow Point, returned from several months spent in San Francisco. After a few day's visit in Nevada City he will proceed to his mine.

Twenty senior students of Mills College were guests of C. J. Wetmore, trustee of the college, and spent last week end at Gold Hollow lodge on the shore of Lake Vera. They had a delightful time though it was stormy.

Charles L. Gilmore, prominent Sacramento attorney who represents the California Mine Association, addressed a public meeting at Elk's Hall Tuesday evening in opposition to the so-called "Oil Control" act which is the subject of a referendum election May 3. The meeting was sponsored by the Nevada County Mine Association.

FRENCH CORRAL

Chas. Hames and Cliton Helch of Los Angeles are preparing to do some mining here. They are charmed with our delightful climate.

W. E. Moulton made a business trip to Sacramento and Marysville Friday.

Clyde and Harry Browning went to Nevada City Friday evening. Their mother, Mrs. A. Browning, who has been staying with Mrs. Annie Browning during her illness of last week, returned with them.

Sheriff George Carter made a business trip to French Corral Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. De Prati, who is suffering from a nervous breakdown, has gone to Stockton for treatment. Her many friends hope for her a speedy recovery.

Thos. Fogarty and sons, Clyde and Verne, of Marysville, Carl Smith of Oakland, and Mr. Cox of Yuba City were Sunday visitors in this section.

Mr. Olvezero, who is interested in the Golden Fleece mine, brought his wife and three children from Oakland this week. They will add to our school attendance.

E. De Prati returned to his home in French Corral Monday.

Miss Millie Clerkin who has been residing in San Juan for the past winter visited friends at this place Monday.

News of the death of I. W. Musfield at Sacramento last week, came as a shock to his many friends on the San Juan Ridge and deepest sympathy is felt by all for his wife and family. Mr. Musfield was a man of sterling character and was well liked by all who knew him. For many years he has held a responsible position with the California highway, and has made his home in North San Juan, where he purchased the old John Hill property. Last summer he built a new house on the property. He will be sadly missed in the community in which he lived.

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HOMES NEEDED AS BIG DEALS GET UNDER WAY

Randsburg, April 21—With the introduction of large gold saving processes in the Rand mining district, the increase demand for homes, vacant houses, and in some cases, a demand for private garages, go to show that this new venture in mining has started, and something must be done to meet the demand.

Quartz mining by the companies and the leasers, carry on; the best proof that is, that the various mills cannot keep off the crowding leaser's ore to be milled.

400 Tons Daily

Besides the daily handling of 400 tons, flotation and cyanide, by the Red Mountain Mines Syndicates, operating the Kelley gold-silver mine, this syndicate makes weekly smelter shipments via the Santa Fe railway; in one of the recent shipments, a 60 ton carload of high grade from the new discovery on the Santa Fe ground, was made.

Ruby Silver and Gold

Last week another find of high grade ruby silver carrying a goodly content of gold was made on the 11th level, No. 2 shaft of the Kelly mine workings.

Business As Uusual, Aster

During the pending of a deal with New York interests all can be stated for the Yellow Aster mine and mill, is that according to Frank Allen, Jr., everything on the hill is going fine, 25 leasing sets, about as many on the payroll, fifty stamps on a daily two shift basis.

40-ton Mill Nears Completion

Big Gold, three miles west of Randsburg camp, is to have a more practical try as to its being a regular producing mine. The Barstow interests by the time their 40-ton mill is finished, will have the main shaft repaired and much of the muck piled up and the lower laterals cleaned out.

Between the Big Gold holdings and the main developments of the Yellow Aster mine are a number of well proven prospects, that through leasing, have added greatly to the output of the Rand mining district. The success of the Barstow men would be the means of stirring much activity in the western part of the district.

Another Shovel to Coso

Owing to the absence of Engineers Udell and the resident manager, Cliff Dennis, of the Atolia tungsten plant, information as to the rumored closing down of the tungsten mine at Atolio could ot be obtained; both gentlemen being called to the Poso Hot springs district where it is said the Brawley interests, Treadwell-Yukon, have taken over the Poso cinnabar property. Another one of the Britton-Lindberg large shovels was sent to Colorado.

Desirable Ground Taken

One of the pioneers, J. F. Meikle, who was with the first custom mill of the Rand mining district, the Red Dog, was a recent visitor to Kent Knowlton's mineral exhibit. During his look-over of the samples and specimens, he mentioned that whenever they were slack on dropping of the stamps they would put on a few teams and haul dirt from "Dull Times Placer" south of the Atalia No. 1 shaft, and run them through, realizing $6 to the ton. He admitted that his visit was for the purpose of locating some of the ground, but found that ALL OF THE DESIRABLE GROUND WAS ALREADY LOCATED.

Authentic Information

A LARGE QUARTZ MINE DEAL THAT HAS BEEN PENDING, FROM REPORTS, IS VERY FAVORABLE OF BEING CLOSED. A DEAL THAT WILL BE OF VAST ADVANTAGE TO THE RAND DISTRICT. (We are awaiting authentic information.—Ed.)

NEVADA CITY M. E. CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Sunday morning service, 11 a. m.

Services at North San Juan, second and fourth Sundays, 2:30 p. m.

County hospital, first Sunday, at 2:00 p. m.

Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; evening services, 7:30 p. m.

Woman's Missionary Society, first Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.

Ladies' Aid Society, second and fourth Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.

Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. H. H. Buckner, Pastor.

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Why Not The Truth?

The attempt to put over the **SHARKey OIL CONTROL** bill on the people of California and establish a monopoly under control of the major oil corporations should be resented by every voter of the state. From the start it has been a campaign to bunk the public.

The true sponsors of the bill, the major oil corporations, are afraid to come out in the open and fight for their own measure. They are supplying the money but are using dummies to hide their activities.

So-called "Independents," servants and dependents of the major oil corporations, have been called into action. One of these groups, widely advertised as favoring the bill, is headed by the president of one of the major oil corporations, but his name was carefully eliminated from the list of supporters of the **SHARKey** measure.

It was to be expected that they would make one big blunder, and they have.

The Beans Have Been Spilled

To find sponsors for their measure the major oil corporations went to Texas and got the Governor, former *president of the Humble Oil Company, a major oil corporation subsidiary in that state,* to tell the people of California how they should vote. Announcement was made *by radio on the hour of a major oil corporation of California,* and time for the speech was on the hour of a major oil corporation of New York. How is that for a hook-up? Alfalfa Bill Murray of Oklahoma was in the same hook-up! Is it any wonder that the voters of California should resent this impudent interference in their affairs?

In keeping with their plan of campaign to mislead the public about this measure, the major oil corporations attempted to get it on the ballot as "**OIL CONSERVATION.**" The State Court of Appeals soon upset that bunk and gave the measure its proper label of "**OIL CONTROL,**" and that's what it is, with the control of the industry handed over to the major corporations.

There is No Overproduction of Oil in California!

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Why Not The Truth? The sole purpose of the **SHARKey OIL CONTROL** is to kill off independent competition, establish a monoply and raise the price of gasoline to 25 cents per gallon or more.

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